

**ASSEMBLY, No. 888**

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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

**219th LEGISLATURE**

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PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 2020 SESSION

**Sponsored by:**

**Assemblyman THOMAS P. GIBLIN**

**District 34 (Essex and Passaic)**

**SYNOPSIS**

Makes appropriation of \$260,000,000 to DOT and \$140,000,000 to NJT from revenues and other funds of Transportation Trust Fund Authority for transportation projects.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel.



1   **AN ACT TO AMEND** "An Act making appropriations for the support  
2       of the State Government and the several public purposes for the  
3       fiscal year ending June 30, 2017 and regulating the disbursement  
4       thereof," approved June 30, 2016 (P.L.2016, c.10).

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6       **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and the General Assembly of the*  
7       *State of New Jersey:*

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9       1. The following language provision is added to section 1 of  
10      P.L.2016, c.10, the annual appropriations act for fiscal year 2017:

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**78 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

*60 Transportation Programs*

*61 State and Local Highway Facilities*

**CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION**

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13 Notwithstanding the provisions of P.L.1984, c.73 (C.27:1B-1 et al.), there is  
14 appropriated the sum of \$260,000,000 from the revenues and other funds of  
15 the New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority for capital purposes as  
16 follows:

| <b><u>Description</u></b>                 | <b><u>County</u></b> | <b><u>Amount</u></b> |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| Local County Aid Supplement, DVRPC        | Various              | (\$23,299,000)       |
| Local County Aid Supplement, NJTPA        | Various              | (\$75,244,500)       |
| Local County Aid Supplement, SJTPO        | Various              | (\$16,456,500)       |
| Local Municipal Aid Supplement, DVRPC     | Various              | (\$20,780,500)       |
| Local Municipal Aid Supplement, NJTPA     | Various              | (\$77,521,500)       |
| Local Municipal Aid Supplement, SJTPO     | Various              | (\$9,395,500)        |
| Local Municipal Aid Supplement, Urban Aid | Various              | (\$7,302,500)        |
| Local Bridges Supplement, Future Needs    | Various              | (\$30,000,000)       |

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18 The amounts hereinabove appropriated from the revenues and other funds of the  
19 New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority to the Department of  
20 Transportation are to be distributed pursuant to the provisions of subsections  
21 c., e., and g. of section 25 of P.L.1984, c.73 (C.27:1B-25) to municipalities  
22 and counties as supplemental funding for the municipal aid program, the  
23 county aid program, and for deposit into the Local Bridges Fund.

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25      2. The following language provision is added to section 1 of  
26      P.L.2016, c.10, the annual appropriations act for fiscal year 2017:

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**78 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

*60 Transportation Programs*

*62 Public Transportation*

**CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION**

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29 Notwithstanding the provisions of P.L.1984, c.73 (C.27:1B-1 et al.), there is  
30 appropriated the sum of \$140,000,000 from the revenues and other funds of

1 the New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority for capital purposes as  
2 follows:

| <u>Description</u>                           | <u>County</u> | <u>Amount</u>   |
|--|---------------|-----------------|
| <b><u>New Jersey Transit Corporation</u></b> |               |                 |
| Technology Improvements and System Safety    | Various       | (\$140,000,000) |

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4 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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9 This bill appropriates \$260 million to the Department of  
10 Transportation from the revenues and other funds of the  
11 Transportation Trust Fund Authority for the purposes of repairing  
12 local roads and bridges in all 21 counties in the State. It is intended  
13 that this appropriation will be distributed by the Department of  
14 Transportation to municipalities and counties through the following  
15 State funded programs administered by the Division of Local Aid  
16 and Economic Development: County Aid, Municipal Aid, and Local  
17 Bridges Future Needs.

18 This bill also appropriates \$140 million to the New Jersey  
19 Transit Corporation from the revenues and other funds of the  
20 Transportation Trust Fund Authority for the purposes of  
21 implementing technology and system safety improvements.

22 P.L.2016, c.56 indicates that there shall be \$16 billion in  
23 appropriations from the funds of the Transportation Trust Fund  
24 Authority for FY 2017 through FY 2024. That proposed multi-year  
25 spending goal equates to an average annual appropriation of \$2  
26 billion per year. The current FY 2017 appropriation from the funds  
27 of the Transportation Trust Fund Authority is \$1.6 billion. This bill  
28 increases the total FY 2017 appropriation to \$2 billion.